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SUBJECT: ALEXANDER AMENDMENT

REF: TOKYO 5253

1. THE ALEXANDER AMENDMENT TO THE FOREIGN ASSISTANCE AND RELATED PROGRAMS APPROPRIATION ACT 1976 BARS ASSISTANCE TO GOVERNMENTS WHICH ARE IN DEFAULT FOR MORE THAN ONE YEAR ON LOANS PROVIDED UNDER THE ACT BY USG AGENCIES. IT RELATES ONLY TO DEBTS OWED TO THE UNITED STATES AND DOES NOT RPT NOT APPLY TO LOANS FROM IFI'S. THE LANGUAGE OF THE AMENDMENT PROVIDES FOR A THREE MONTH GRACE PERIOD FOLLOWING ENACTMENT TO AFFORD AN OPPORTUNITY TO RESOLVE EXISTING DEFAULT PROBLEMS. AID/W CONSIDERS ON A TENTATIVE BASIS THAT ONLY 5 COUNTRIES MIGHT BE AFFECTED BY PASSAGE OF THE AMENDMENT AND THAT THE PROBLEMS IN ALL CASES CAN PROBABLY BE RESOLVED WITHIN THE GRACE PERIOD.

2. THE AMENDMENT HAS NOT YET BEEN ENACTED INTO LAW. IF IT SHOULD BECOME LAW, A LEGAL OPINION WILL BE PREPARED BY THE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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